

**The Brookestrong Foundation
William R. Boone High School
2018 Scholarship Award Information Sheet**

Cheerleading Publications

To award financial scholarships to a Boone High School senior that has participated at least one year in varsity cheerleading and/or publications at the school and plans to attend an accredited postsecondary institution.

Amounts to be Awarded

Scholarship Amount for 2018 is \$500

The award will be distributed directly to the institution the student is attending for the benefit of the student upon receipt of sufficient documentation as determined by the Trustees that the student is enrolled at least half-time (as defined by the attending institution) at an eligible institution.

Eligible students

- Boone High School seniors planning to pursue a degree at an accredited U.S. postsecondary institution.
- A minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA (unweighted) at the end of his/her junior year of high school.
- US citizen.
- Participated in at least one year of varsity cheerleading and/or publications at Boone High School.

Award Evaluation Criteria

- The student's past performance that details balance in both academic performance and participation in extracurricular and/or community activities.
- The student's essay on one of the following:
 - Why organ donation is important to me.
 - How I would work to increase organ donation.
- A personal reference in the format provided from the current Boone High School Varsity Cheerleading Coach or the Adviser of Publications, as applicable.

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The applications and essays will be evaluated by a committee appointed by the Trustees (Committee). The student that can show by their academic progress or success, personal reference, and the essay how he/she best exemplifies the academic success and determination of the individual the Foundation was created to honor.

Relatives of the Committee or Trustees are not eligible for the award. If an application meeting the minimum evaluation criteria is received, the Committee will recommend (based on a majority vote) an applicant to receive the scholarship award to the Trustees. The final decision will be based on the majority vote of the Trustees.

The due date of the Application will be one week prior to the year-end banquet. The current William R. Boone High School Varsity Cheerleading Coach or the Adviser of Publications, as applicable, will announce the date. An official notice will be placed on the Foundation's website and/or media sites by June 15, 2018.

If any information submitted for this scholarship award is later deemed to be inaccurate, the Trustees may, at their discretion and in the best interest of the Foundation, seek all legal remedies for return of the funds.